From: rspiegel@edisonwetlands.org

To: <u>Kirby Webster</u>

Cc: Gowers, Joe; Seppi, Pat; SD Smith; petra thombs; Dwaine Perry; shannon@edisonwetlands.org;

rspiegel@edisonwetlands.org; Zach McCue

Subject: RE: Ringwood_Superfund_Site_OU2_RAWP_-_TASC

Date: Friday, January 22, 2021 8:31:55 AM

Dear Ms. Kirby,

I have reached out to the Ramapough Lennape tribal leadership and presented your offer. They are cced on this e-mail as they conveyed to me their desire to have an independent Community Advisory Group with approved bylaws that they agree to in advance. The Edison Wetlands Association, Inc. has and will continue to assist the community at no charge in forming a new Community advisory group.

While I know you have a contract and get paid by the USEPA, I was not impressed with the last time your services were brought to Upper Ringwood as your lack of experience, inability to facilitate a community hearing and poor communication and basic microphone skills were a clear indicator that your "services" will not benefit the community in having meaningful input into the USEPA superfund cleanup at the Ringwood Mines Superfund Site.

I included them on this correspondence and they can convey their needs and wishes directly to you and the USEPA.

Respectfully,

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----- Original Message ------

Subject: Ringwood Superfund Site OU2 RAWP - TASC

From: Kirby Webster <<u>kwebster@skeo.com</u>> Date: Tue, January 19, 2021 10:12 am

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Cc: "Gowers, Joe" < Gowers.Joe@epa.gov > , "Seppi, Pat" < Seppi.Pat@epa.gov >

Hello Bob,

EPA has asked TASC (Technical Assistances Services for Communities) to provide an independent review of the OU2 Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP) for Ringwood Mine. The RAWP outlines the plan for the work that will be completed on the Cannon Mine Pit, Peters Mine Pit and O'Conner Disposal Area in 2021 and into 2022. It is available online at: https://semspub.epa.gov/src/document/02/620277. TASC is preparing a summary fact sheet and technical comments on the RAWP. TASC will also present the information in a virtual meeting, anticipated in late February. We are interested in any specific questions or concerns you or anyone you know has about the RAWP. Please feel free to provide your feedback by January 26 via email or we are happy to set up a phone call to hear from you directly.

We look forward to your input.

Best.

Kirby

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